

Comment Of The Day
SPOTLIGHT ON AFRICA

FOR Hongkong, the chief interest in the recent House of Commons debates on the Devlin Commission report on Nyasaland and the Kenya Holo Camp deaths was the future of Mr Alan Lennox-Boyd and it is pleasing to read that he has survived both without serious damage to his reputation.

During his term of office he has won wide acclaim for his liberal outlook and his fine understanding of the needs of the various colonies committed to his charge. Rarely has he incurred such bitter and widespread criticism as during the recent troubles in Africa. Events have shown he was mistaken in supporting unreservedly the superintendent of Holo Camp who is being compulsorily and hastily retired for gross dereliction of duty. And the doubts cast upon the Nyasaland "massacre plot" by the Devlin Commission suggest that a nervous governor badly advised the Colonial Secretary, though in the circumstances it is unreasonable to be too censorious.

GOVERNMENT speakers have pointed out that without the prompt declaration of a state of emergency the deplorable casualty figure of 51 killed and 71 injured might have been considerably higher and those who remember our own riots almost three years ago would probably agree with the view. The Government's action in approving only certain features of the Devlin report—tantamount to a vote of no confidence in an independent tribunal of its own creation—has given the critics much to talk about, though it would have given them very much more had the Government accepted the Commission's censure completely. Mr Lennox-Boyd does not therefore emerge from the debate unscathed. Indeed the surprise is that with the elections imminent the Labour Party did not aim their torpedoes more carefully. For it is apparent from the latest reports published in Hongkong that neither Labour nor Government spokesmen particularly distinguished themselves.

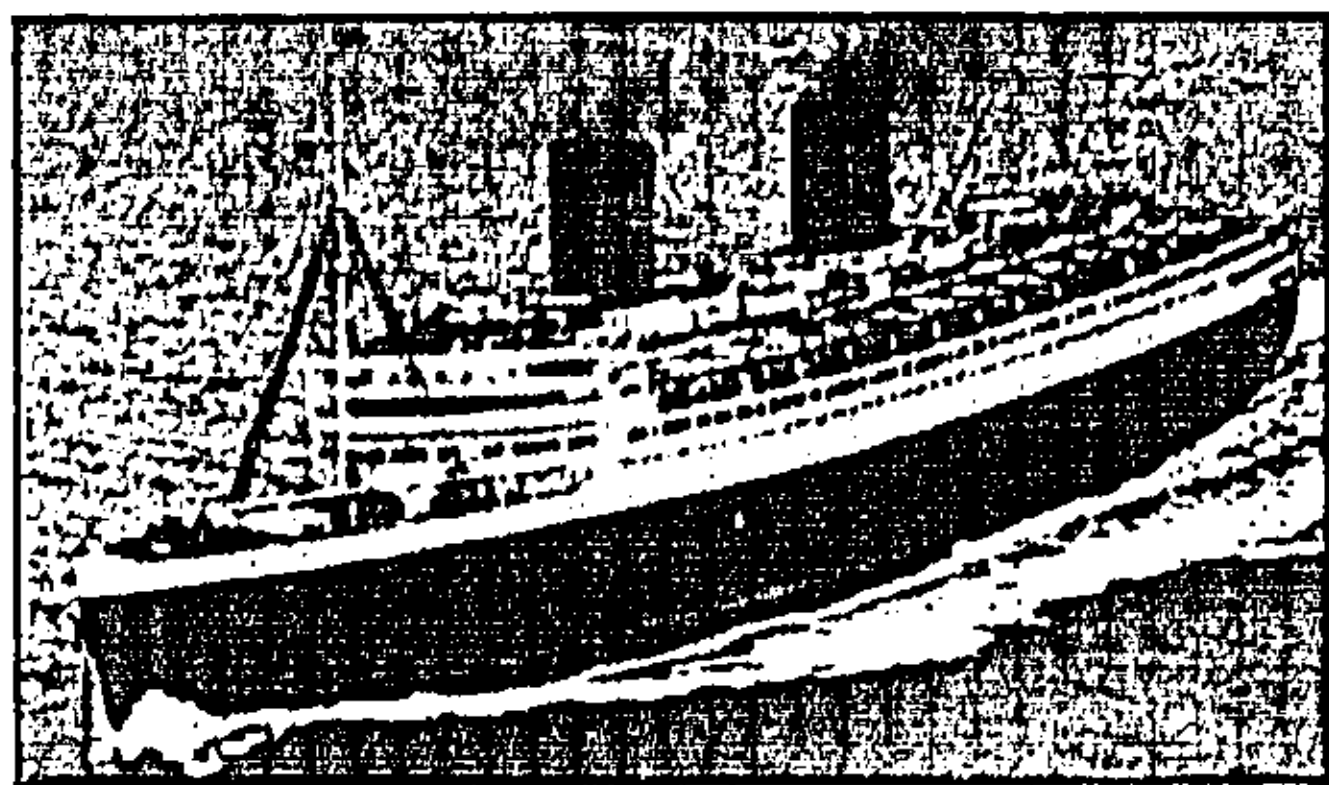
WHAT effect all this will have on the Government's chances in the elections which most observers expect in October it is difficult to say. Mr Macmillan's popularity—according to the public opinion polls—has declined recently, but a successful summit meeting later this year could do much to improve his party's chances. Then there is Labour's own crisis of indecision over the Hydrogen bomb which will come to a head at the October Party conference. But if it is said that Labour's schism lingers on as a potential election threat, it must also be said that the two days debate on Africa that the problems of this unhappy land are far from resolved. They may not be big enough to sink the Government in an election, but the Tories would be wise not to repeat that lamentable statement of the Colonial Secretary—"I have the onliest conscience in the world"—when there is clearly so much cause for serious concern in the trend of things in Africa.

NEW YORK HARBOUR DRAMA

Liner Queen Elizabeth In Collision With Freighter DEEP DENT IN BOWS

New York, July 29.

The liner Queen Elizabeth suffered a dented starboard bow when she collided with an American freighter in dense fog off Coney Island today. The mishap occurred while a lifeboat drill was in progress on board the Queen Elizabeth. The 83,673-ton ship, which had sailed for Europe 90 minutes before with 1,959 passengers and a crew of 1,290, turned around and steamed back to her Hudson River pier with her starboard bow deeply dented.



Queen Elizabeth

Ancient Sword Lost In Japan Turns Up In U.S.

San Francisco, July 29.

An ancient Japanese sword, lost in a Tokyo burglary eleven years ago, was recovered by police here today.

The small 13th century sword, one of Japan's National Art treasures, has been the object of a world-wide hunt by the Japanese since 1948. The medieval 13-inch weapon was found in the possession of a local art dealer. He told police he had no idea the sword was stolen and was released after questioning. The sword was stolen when burglars broke into the Tokyo home of Takekuni Mitsui, a member of the famed Mitsui family. All treasures stolen in the burglary were recovered except the sword.

The tiny weapon, valued at \$10,000, was handed down in the Mitsui family from generation to generation for over 700 years. The Tokyo attorney, Mr Arthur K. Mori, heard that a sword, similar to the missing one, was being offered for sale to collectors by a San Francisco dealer.

Wrote To Friend—Mr Mori wrote to a friend, Mr Kurt Melchior, a local lawyer who contacted police. They wrote to Tokyo for a full description of the sword. The dealer told the police he was in Japan with the army during the occupation and purchased the sword from a Japanese teacher.

He said he paid the equivalent of \$35,000 for the weapon and realized it was "very old." But he had no idea it was stolen. The sword now awaits the filing of a formal claim by the owners.—Reuter.

INCREASE IN WATER STORAGE
The Colony's reservoirs showed a slight increase in storage after the last three days of intermittent showers, a spokesman of the Water Authority said this morning.

The total storage figure now stands at 10,319 million gallons, he added.

An unofficial 17½ hours water supply is still being maintained in many parts of the Colony, and this will be continued as long as the Water Authority feels it is safe to do so.

This morning's showers brought nearly another half inch of rain, an Observatory spokesman said. At 11 a.m. the Observatory had recorded a total since midnight of almost a total of half an inch of rain.

No said that more thundery showers and some fair periods could be expected this afternoon.

The other ship was the U.S. Lines 10,500-ton American Hunter, carrying 50 crewmen and six passengers. It sustained a long dent on one side.

The collision occurred inside New York harbour as the Queen Elizabeth headed toward the Atlantic and the American Hunter headed for its New York pier. Both vessels were equipped with radar, and the Coast Guard launched an immediate investigation to determine the cause of the accident.

Mr Edwin Seymour Bell, General Manager in America for the Cunard Lines, said in a statement that the Queen Elizabeth was dead still in the water when the collision occurred. He said that when the fog closed in, the Elizabeth was moving just fast enough to manoeuvre.

Two Radars
"Two radars were operating," he said, "one on a four-mile and one on a two-mile scale." He said the closest ship was reported to be about four-tenths of a mile away.

The ship's fog signal was sounded, and all precautions were being taken, Mr Seymour-Bell said. "The other ship suddenly appeared out of the fog on the starboard bow. At that time, the Queen Elizabeth's engines had been put at full speed astern because the other ship had appeared to be approaching dangerously close on the radar."

The Queen Elizabeth was standing dead in the water when the collision occurred. The American Hunter hit the Queen Elizabeth on the starboard bow. The American Hunter was at right angles to the Queen Elizabeth at the time.

Not Going Fast
"I understand the other ship was not going very fast. Nothing could have been done by the Queen Elizabeth that was not done to avoid the collision. After the collision, the American Hunter backed off and drifted down on the starboard side of the Queen Elizabeth."

Passengers said they were just going through their first lifeboat drill on the top deck when the bump in the fog came. Many of the ship's passengers lined the railings waving to newsmen and curiosity seekers on shore when the ship was nudged up to her pier by tugboats.

Tourists On Board
The vessel carried holiday-bound tourists, including Lt. Gen. James Van Fleet and his wife, and a number of United Nations diplomats.

The American Hunter bore a 20-foot-long dent on one side. It was due to steam to its berth tomorrow morning.

Capt. George Walker of the American Hunter radioed that "the bow of his ship was stove in from the lower forepeak to the bulkhead. Five bulkhead frames on both sides of the bow were bent and distorted. Able to manoeuvre."

WOMAN SOBS IN COURT

An elderly Chinese woman broke into uncontrolled sobs and pleaded hysterically with the bench when her application to the Full Court for leave to appeal was refused this morning.

The Chief Justice, Sir Michael Hoggan, and Mr Justice R. H. Mills-Owens ruled that the woman, Wong Pao-lin, had submitted no grounds on which they could grant leave to appeal.

The Chief Justice said: "You have my sympathy, but we just cannot continue with these proceedings."

COMPENSATION
Wong Pao-lin was seeking leave to appeal against the judgment handed down by Judge Creedon in the District Court on the 31st of December last, in which he refused to uphold her claim for \$5,000 compensation from Wong Wai-yuen, lorry driver, and the Tung Nam Transportation Company, for the death of her son Yuc King-leung in an accident on April 19 last year.

Judge Creedon refused the applicant leave to appeal against his judgment delivered on June 29.

STUDENT STILL MISSING

The family of the second missing student, Lee Nishien, are advertising in Chinese papers calling upon friends and relatives who might be accommodating him to urge his return.

The family told the China Mail that Lee was still missing this morning.

The 22-year-old student left home on Monday afternoon to find out about the results of this year's School Certificate Examination.

It was said that this was the second year in succession he failed the examination. He had been, however, a scholarship student.

The first missing student, Leung, who left a note on leaving home after learning he failed the examination for the third year in succession, returned after a half-day absence.

STOP PRESS!

Police Fire At Fleeing Car With Wanted Man

Police fired two shots at the tyres of a fleeing car in Yen Chau Street, Kowloon, yesterday in an attempt to arrest a man suspected to have impersonated an inspector and attempting to extort money.

The chase took place at about 12.10 p.m. when the suspect failed to obey an order to halt from the police lying in wait for him near a machine shop.

The incident arose when the man called at the machine shop on Tuesday, saying he was a certain inspector on an inspection of the premises.

Then he was reported to have gone on to pick out on the cockloft the size of which he said exceeded the regulations.

Fearing prosecution or the cost of reconstruction, the proprietor was reported to have pleaded with the man and invited him to tea.

But then he became suspicious.

Meeting
In a private meeting with the man, it was reported, the proprietor agreed to pay \$200 and made an appointment to make the payment at his shop the next day (yesterday).

He later reported the matter to the police who arrived before time and, in plain clothes, lay in wait near the shop for the man.

Shortly after noon, the suspect arrived, calling loudly for the proprietor and while doing so was accosted by a detective inside the shop.

He drove his car away and the police fired two shots after the car one of which hit a rear tyre.

The car was later found abandoned in Arran Street. A suspect was arrested in Tsimshatsui later in the evening, a Government spokesman said this morning.

Britain's Self-Made Top Men
London, July 29.

More than nine out of 10 of Britain's top company directors want to State schools and worked their way up from the bottom, the Daily Mail reports today.

The newspaper says that this has emerged from a secret ballot of its 30,000 members by the Institute of Directors.

Only eight per cent of the members of the Institute were found to have gone to public (private) schools.

The Daily Mail says the survey has shown that "far from being a privileged class with inherited wealth, the Institute members are nearly all self-made men."

The Institute will use this information to answer Labour Party criticisms of directors being a privileged class with inherited wealth.—China Mail Special.

Kerala Govt May Be Replaced

New Delhi, July 29.

The Communist Government of Kerala State will be dismissed and replaced by presidential rule before the weekend, according to well-informed political circles here tonight.

It is understood that opinion at a Central Cabinet meeting today favoured immediate intervention in the state where 10 people have been killed in the opposition parties campaign to oust the communist rulers.

The Central Cabinet will meet again tomorrow and is expected to finalise a decision to advise President Rajendra Prasad to issue a proclamation suspending the constitution in Kerala and taking over the administration of the state.

This will mean the automatic dismissal of the communist government. New elections would then be held in about six months time.

Today's two-hour Cabinet session was presided over by the Prime Minister, Mr Nehru, who had earlier called on the President.

PRESIDENTIAL RULE
Presidential rule has been imposed five times in various states since India became independent in 1947, but this would be only the second time that a Ministry in office has been dismissed.

In the meantime, President Prasad would probably administer the State through the present State Governor, Mr B. Ramakrishna Rao.

The Communists today opened their "retaliation campaign" against events in Kerala by presenting to President Prasad a memorandum or "charge sheet" alleging misrule by the Congress Government in West Bengal and demanding its dismissal.—Reuter.

Tibetan Exodus

New Delhi, July 29.

There has been a new influx of refugees from Tibet into India, informed sources said today. Some 2,000 Tibetans have recently crossed the border into India, the sources said.

The Tibetans crossed from the northern part of Assam. They will be settled in Dibrugarh, an oil town.—AFP.

Hongkong: Outlet For PI's 'Flight Balances'

New York, July 29.

Currency expert Franz Pick today charged that illegal monetary transactions in the Philippines were "mostly in the hands of Chinese dealers on the islands," whose primary foreign outlet was Hongkong.

"Monthly volumes of such transactions averaged between \$14,000,000 and \$18,000,000 during 1958," Pick estimated. "Most trading was represented by strict compensation dealings. Under-invoicing of exports and over-invoicing of imports represented a major part of the trade. Banknote smuggling accounted for less than 10 per cent of these transfers."

"As powerful politicians and mostly unknown Chinese intermediaries specialise in these transactions, they are difficult to stop as long as currency controls remain in existence."

Pick estimated Philippine "flight balances" in 1958 totalled \$20,000,000 to \$25,000,000 in Hongkong and New York alone.—UPI.

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Lancashire Helped By HK Quota

London, July 29.

The Hongkong quota agreement was listed by a leading manufacturer today as one — but the least important — of five factors which have helped to "almost completely" restore confidence to the Lancashire industry.

Mr Kenneth Boardman, Chairman of Boardman Marden Limited, said in a statement published today that while 1958 had been an extremely poor year, by the turn of the year five factors emerged in quick succession which almost completely restored confidence to the distressed home industry and could very well bring an end to the long slump.

FIVE FACTORS

These five factors, he said, were: Government aid plan, break-up of yarn spinners agreements, a warm Spring, incentive budget and the Hongkong quota agreement.

He said the government aid of £35,000,000 which was approved by the House of Lords yesterday, was "remarkably generous."

Regarding the Hongkong quota agreement, he said: "The Colony had now established a precedent which any future Labour Government may hesitate to replace with its 'bulk' buying scheme and it is interesting to recall that the agreement was only finalised when a general election appeared imminent."

The manufacturer paid tribute to the "high standard" of Hongkong textile production and "outstanding business efficiency." He believed Hongkong would "probably sell more of its goods to America during the next twelve months than it will to this country."

He added: "It is almost impossible to place new orders with the Colony which will arrive here before February 1960."—AFP.

RICH WOMAN FLEES FROM FORTUNE-HUNTING ROMEOS

London, July 30.

A GIRL aged 21 who inherited £90,000 is reported to have fled to France to escape fortune-hunting Romeos.

Julia Skinner was a £9 a week typist until she won the money in June in a court action over the estate of her late father, Major James Skinner. She said then she had no regular boy-friend — and

within an hour offers of marriage came pouring in by letter and telephone.

The Daily Sketch quoted her step-father, Mr Charles Blake, as saying that hundreds of would-be suitors pestered Julia. Mr Blake said she had gone to France to escape the constantly ringing telephone. Then she would go to the Costa Brava in Spain and, later visit

relatives in the United States and Canada.

He added that Julia had no intention of going to France, but she got fed up with all the persistent suitors. Before she left, she told the post office in Chelsea, London, to destroy all mail merely addressed to her at "King's Road, Chelsea." — China Mail Special.

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Kassem Hits Out At Kirkuk Trouble-Makers

Bagdad, July 29.

The recent Kirkuk uprising against the Kassem regime was staged by the extreme left-wing and Premier Kassem tonight barred plans to spread the revolt to "several other towns".

How Tape Was Smuggled Out Of Russia

New York, July 29.

The original tape of the now famous television wrangle between Vice-President Richard Nixon and Nikita Khrushchev was taken out of Russia wrapped in a dirty shirt and Soviet customs officials completely overlooked it, Variety, American show business trade journal reported today.

It quoted Mr Philip Gundy, President of Ampex Tape Corporation, as saying he "felt like a spy" when he brought the 10 and half inch reel into the United States.

Varley said Mr Gundy arranged to tape the visit of Mr Nixon and Khrushchev to the American exhibition in Moscow and to have it played back immediately.

As soon as he had gulped Khrushchev's little finger to the button that began the playback he knew he had something "dynamic and exciting".

The Soviet Premier cried out in English when he saw himself on the screen "Ooooh! Like real!"

Mr Gundy then grabbed the reel and two hours later was on his way to the Moscow airport.

"The tape, wrapped in a dirty shirt and concealed under business papers in a small valise, was completely overlooked by customs," Variety reported.

"Gundy says he had decided from the outset to avoid the red tape that clearance through Russian and U.S. officials would have involved.—Reuter.

City Council Says 'No' To A Turban

Manchester, July 29.

The Manchester City Council today refused to employ a Sikh bus conductor because he insisted on wearing a turban instead of the uniform bus cap.

It turned down a proposal that it should reconsider its Transport Committee's recommendation by 41 votes to 31.

The Sikh, Mr S. S. Sagar, a graduate of Punjab University said afterwards that he would seek advice and guidance on the matter.

"I want the opinions of Manchester people," he added. "If they do not want Sikhs on the buses then I am quite satisfied with the position."—Reuter.

Stole Water

Gainesville, Ga., July 29.

J. P. Reynolds, former president of Best Ice Co., was found guilty yesterday of stealing 300 million gallons of city water through an illegal tap on a city-operated sprinkler system in his plant.—UPI.

But he said security forces "had been able to put down rebellious moves quickly."

Kassem deplored the fact that whereas the overthrow of the monarchy a year ago had resulted in the loss of only 10 lives, more were killed in the Kirkuk uprising. He did not indicate how many more, however.

Pseudos

He sharply attacked the "pseudo-democrats who, under the cover of wanting to protect the Government from imaginary plots, recently organized savage massacres at Kirkuk."

Observers noted that this was the first time that Kassem placed responsibility for the recent bloodshed—conservatively estimated at between 20 and 60 lives, but said in some quarters to number several hundreds—upon the extreme left-wing fringe.

General Kassem defended the Turkoman tribes who had been the victims of racism carried out by political organizations pretending to be anti-racist and democratic.

The Power

"We have the necessary power to crush the pseudo-democrats who aim at provoking new troubles in Iraq," he said.

The persons responsible for the Kirkuk massacres would be tried in court, he said.—AFP.

Now Japan Plans An Atomic Sub

Tokyo, July 29.

Engineers of the Mitsubishi Heavy Industries Reorganized Ltd. today tested a model of Japan's proposed atomic submarine.

The trial of the three-ton model nuclear submarine was held outside Port Kobe.

A spokesman for the engineers said the tests were "quite successful."

The model was 30 feet long and two-and-a-half feet wide. Engineers operated it by control from a ship.—Reuter.

Mac Will Miss Gathering Of The Clan

Glasgow, July 29.

More than 300 Macmillans, many from the United States and the British Commonwealth, will gather near here on August 8, but the Prime Minister, Mr. Harold Macmillan, has turned down an invitation.

In a letter to the Clan chief, General Sir Gordon Macmillan, published today he said he expected to be busy in England on that date.—Reuter.

TV Set For Morrison

London July 29.

Mr Herbert Morrison, a former Home and Foreign Secretary, was today presented with a television set by opposition Labour Party Members of Parliament here to mark his retirement from the House of Commons.

Another gift to Mr Morrison, who is not standing at the next General Election, was a morocco fitted writing case.

An inscription on the television set read: "To the Right Honourable Herbert Morrison from his colleagues in the parliamentary Labour party in appreciation of his outstanding services to the Labour movement."—Reuter.

Skirts Above The Knees Says Dior II

By PAT HERMAN

Paris, July 29.

Skirts must be lifted above the knee, Dior designer Yves Saint-Laurent decreed today in an exclusive interview that blew the lid off the current Paris autumn fashion season.

The brilliant, young, 23-year-old designer's interview came less than 24 hours before he presents his autumn collections.

His word on shorter skirts flew smack against the lengthening hemlines that other designers have been showing all week in this world fashion capital.

A Tradition

But audacity is a Dior tradition. The late, great Christian Dior made his name in 1947 with a "new look" that lengthened hemlines while all the other fashion houses were hiking them.

The world followed Dior—and has ever since. Today Saint-Laurent—who took over brilliantly after Dior's death two years ago—made his bid to equal the master's major stroke of a dozen years ago.

"La jupe sera au dessus des genoux," Saint-Laurent told UPI. In plain English that meant, "The skirt will be above the knees."

A Gamble

Whether the fashion world would follow him was a gamble. But gambling—and winning—is also a Dior tradition, backed up by a world fashion empire and the fortune of French textile magnate Marcel Boussac. Dior has branches in Europe, the United States, South America and the Far East.

"The secret of my silhouette is in the skirt and the way it is worked," Saint-Laurent said.

Just about everything else about the Dior line will be different from what the other designers are doing, Saint-Laurent said.

Suit jackets will be short (those of others are larger this season). Shoulders will be narrow (the rest of the fashion pack has broadened them). Collars will be small (hardly a Paris dressmaker has failed to



Saint-Laurent

feature the broad collars this week). Fabrics will be soft and supple (others are stiff).

New Perfume

Earlier in the day, Greek-born Jean Dessès, who has dressed such customers as Greek Orthodox nuns and Mrs. Aristotle Onassis, presented an autumn collection that would please them both.

Dessès launched his line in a salon lavishly sprayed with his new perfume, "C'est moi de Jean Dessès" (Dessès's own).

Dessès (rhymes with dresses) discreetly dropped the hemline, sometimes below mid-calf. This would have pleased his most conservative clients.

He also lengthened the torso and widened the shoulders in line with what his colleagues have done so far in the new season.

Exciting

But it was an exciting enough collection to have made even the international set happy.

There was lots of interest in the skirt—the longest that Paris has seen so far this season.

Dessès buttoned, draped, bloused and flared the skirt. The focal point usually was below the hipline or 12 inches above the hemline.—UPI.

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New Hitch In Print Strike Peace Talks

London, July 29. UNION leaders discussing a back-to-work formula which may end Britain's six-week-old printing stoppage came up against a stumbling-block today.

The Stereotypers and Electrotypers Union objected to a proposal by the employers that men from other printing unions should help in the foundries during busy periods.

Representatives of the 10 unions involved in the stoppage, which started over a claim for more pay and shorter hours, were continuing their discussions tonight.

Target Date

Next Tuesday, the first working day after the August Bank Holiday weekend, is believed to be the target date set by both sides for a return to work.

Lord Birkett, independent chairman of the peace talks, said tonight that "real progress" had been made in today's union discussions.—Reuter.

Bank Robber Giggled Out

New York, July 29. A 19-year-old bank teller, who would not give a name, was giggled out of the courtroom today.

The man, who was charged with robbing a bank in New York City, was giggled out of the courtroom today.

"Put \$5,000 in a bag and give it to me," the man giggled.

"What would you do with \$5,000?" asked the judge. "I don't know," the man giggled. "Just put it in a bag and give it to me," the judge said. The man giggled and left.—UPI.



GARDEN ROAD (Adjacent to)
Two-bedroomed apartments (furnished and unfurnished) to let now in upper floor of modern well-appointed building. Several of these reasonably priced, premises overlook the Botanical Gardens and the Harbour.

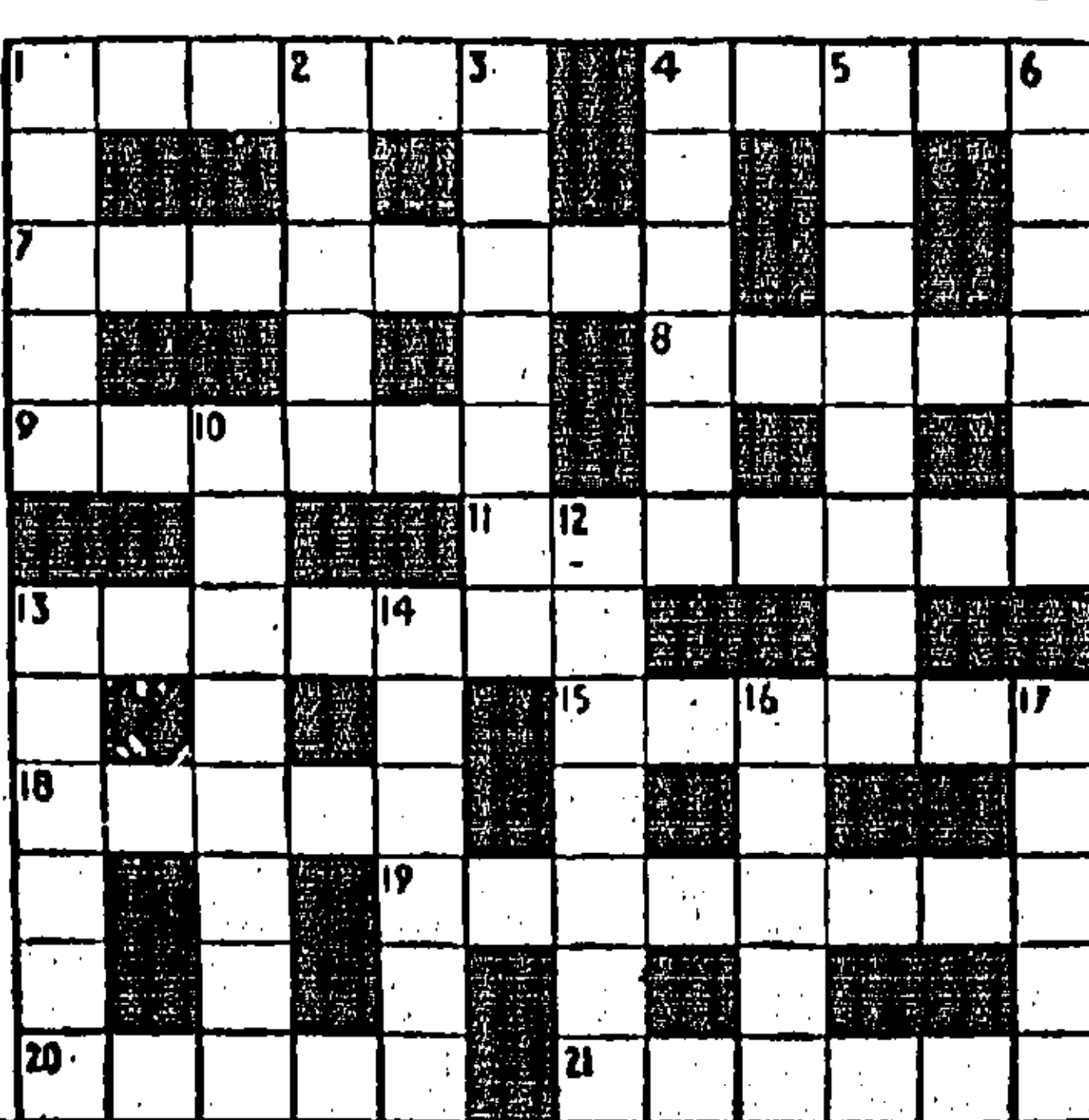
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A British Crossword Puzzle



ACROSS
1 Crockery obviously ready for use? (6)
4 The sheriff's men are in possession (5)
7 Like that complex feeling? (8)
8 Fierce feline (5)
9 Big red (6)
11 The faultless don't need them (7)
13 Consumer of carrion (7)
15 Red Indian uncle (6)
16 Aerobatics (5)
20 Those being coached? (3)
21 The growth of a church official (5)
22 With facility (6)

DOWN
1 Evening wear (5)
2 Some work at lettering? (5)
3 Less concentrated (7)
4 She was dead against blood-letting (6)
5 Suffering from mal-de-mer? (6)
6 Brings into active operation (6)
10 Satisfactory outcome of a visit to the Lost Property Office? (3, 5)
12 Restore two different materials (7)
13 I dance around a bit of luggage (6)
14 In Ireland the result is different (6)
15 Losses strength (5)
17 Have a go! (5)

YESTERDAY'S CROSSWORD—Across: 1 Pier, 4 Tramped, 8 Arlo, 9 Bear, 10 Library, 11 Ices, 12 Omit, 14 Details, 17 Beryl, 19 Trail, 22 Yankies, 26 Undo, 27 Nuts, 28 Savants, 29 Sham (rock), 30 Lingo, 31 Referee, 32 Toss, Down: 2 Income, 3 Ratty, 4 Tilt, 5 Rained, 6 Martin, 7 Enrol, 12 Obed, 13 Iron, 15 I-yan, 16 Solo, 18 Gentle, 20 Russ-et, 21 Ideals, 23 A-war-e, 24 Knave, 25 Sualo.

Dangers Of War—By Mr. K

BLUNT TALK WITH NIXON

Moscow, July 29. Mr. Nikita Khrushchev, the Soviet Prime Minister, spoke bluntly of the dangers of a Soviet-United States clash when he had talks last weekend with Vice-President Richard Nixon, Tass said today.

Mr. Khrushchev, making his first disclosure of the content of his talks with Mr. Nixon, told engineering workers at Dnepropetrovsk yesterday that he had offered Mr. Nixon a competition between socialism and capitalism and that Mr. Nixon had "spoken in favour of peace."

Reason Needed

"Ideological problems cannot be solved by guns—reason is needed," Mr. Khrushchev said. He also made an appeal for a summit meeting. Tass said. Mr. Khrushchev said he told Mr. Nixon that if West German militarists started a war the USSR could in several hours wipe out West Germany and other countries where there were anti-Soviet military bases. According to Tass, which was quoting from a report of the speech being published in the Communist Party newspaper Pravda tomorrow, the Soviet Premier said: "The bourgeoisie does not point to war. Tendencies towards safeguarding peace prevail in all countries."—Reuter.

Dodging Delegates At Red Festival

Vienna, July 29. Festival-makers and festival-breakers began a veritable game of "hide-and-seek" today at the Communist-sponsored World Youth Festival, now in its third day here.

The game consisted in the festival organisers changing the place of a meeting at the last minute in order to confuse the anti-festival crowd, which had taken to sending opposition discussion groups to meetings.

DANGER OF EXPULSION

Furthermore, 57 American participants were in danger of being expelled from the festival if they did not soon pay their dues.

Contradictory reports have been circulating about the departure of a group of 20 Italians. Some have interpreted their departure as a mark of dissatisfaction, while festival organisers claimed they had come here only for the opening parade last Sunday.—AFP.

Big Baby

Los Angeles, July 29. Powell Crosley, manufacturer of small automobiles, was quoted in Motor Life magazine, as saying the new Detroit small cars aren't small enough. Asked what car he drives, Crosley replied without a quiver, "A Cadillac Brougham."—UPI.

Over-Voted

Chesham, July 29. Union leaders ordered a new election at Parkhouse Colliery after a somewhat over-enthusiastic vote for union officers. The number of ballots cast exceeded the number of eligible voters by 102 votes.—UPI.

SIR WINSTON SEES GRANDCHILD



Sir Winston Churchill recently attended the christening of his tenth grandchild at the Wren Chapel, Royal Hospital, Chelsea. Sir Winston is seen proudly looking at his grandchild, the fifth child of Mr and Mrs Christopher Soames.—Central Press Photo.

Grivas Dissociates Himself From Cyprus Agreements

Athens, July 29. General George Grivas, former leader of EOKA, the Greek-Cypriot underground organisation in Cyprus, said tonight he "dissociated" his responsibilities from the Zurich and London agreements settling the Cyprus dispute.

These agreements, he said in a statement, were signed "without my being consulted. I was informed of their contents after their signature and at first piece-meal and even incorrectly as regards certain points likely to evoke my opposition."

Unforgivable

General Grivas added: "I particularly dissociate my responsibilities as regards the interpretation and implementation of the agreements on account of the attempted unforgivable connection to Anglo-Turkish demands."

The EOKA leader also warned the Greek-Cypriot population of "the dangers in which it is threatened, by the collaborators of the agreements, to be entangled and become an accessory to the ratification of these agreements."

General Grivas referred in his statement today to an unspecified point in the agreements on which, he said, "I was informed only upon my return to Greece that there are verbal commitments."

Guaranteed

A Greek Foreign Ministry spokesman said there were "no verbal commitments" underlain in connection with the agreements.

The Zurich Agreement, signed by Britain, Turkey and Greece, last February 11, was the basis for the London agreement of February 19 which provided for Cyprus independence guaranteed by the three signatory countries, transfer of sovereignty to the island was expected to take place within a year.—Reuter.

PI Boats Said Strafed

Manila, July 29. Indonesian planes "recently" strafed three Philippine boats off the northern Celebes striding two of them carrying 30 Filipino Moslems, the Philippine News Service reported tonight.

The News Service said attorney Marcelino Buena, Philippine observer in the trial of 14 Filipinos facing charges of piracy in British North Borneo, reported the fate of the 30 Filipino crew members of the sunken boats was not known.—UPI.

Whistling Tourists Annoy Villagers

London, July 29. INHABITANTS of Shob-tory, a village near Stratford-on-Avon which contains Anne Hathaway's Cottage, are reported to be indignant about the behaviour of American tourists.

According to the Daily Herald, American tourists do not confine their excitement to Shakespeare's wife or her thatched cottage.

The newspaper says: "They wolf-whistle at village girls and women, poke fun at others, and invite themselves into the villagers' gardens to peer through open doors and windows."

Mrs Margaret Reid, of Cottage Lane, is quoted as saying: "We are not on show. The ridiculous thing is that most of them who whistle and shout at village girls are middle-aged, balding and 'weighty'."

EMBARRASSING

Mrs Eileen Eakins, aged 21, who lives next door to Anne Hathaway's Cottage, is reported as saying: "It's embarrassing finding crowds of people looking—and whistling—at me."

A neighbour, 22-year-old Miss Anne Billingham, is quoted as saying: "Men have walked up my path and taken pictures inside my home."

"But I don't think they mean to be rude,"—China Mail Special.

Death Of Music Hall Star

London, July 29. Mr Charlie Clapham, former member of the British music hall comedy team "Clapham and Dwyer", has died at St Leonards-on-Sea, Sussex, aged 65, it was announced today.

He and Bill Dwyer, who died in 1943, were one of the first radio teams in Britain.

They were together for 14 years until Dwyer retired in 1940 through ill health.

Clapham carried on with another partner still retaining the act's double name. Clapham was a barrister's clerk when he met Dwyer, a motor mechanic. They started together with a comedy act at private parties and were booked up six nights a week.

Clapham was a dapper, monocled, member of the team who always wore a top hat.—Reuter.

JUMBO WELCOMED TO SUSAN

Presented With Bunch Of Carrots

Rome, July 29. Crowds cheered as Jumbo, the elephant, entered Susan today at the end of an attempt to follow Hannibal's route across the Alps.

The 11-year-old, two-ton elephant took most of the day walking the five miles from the French-Italian frontier to this town. She walked under the triumphal arch of Augustus Caesar to the municipal square, where she was presented with a bunch of carrots.

Later tonight the British Hannibal expedition were guests of honour at a dinner given by local officials.

Jumbo rested in a nearby garage. Tomorrow, she will probably be transported back to her home in Turin Zoo.—Reuter.

THE QUEEN MEETS WIDOWS OF FISHING DISASTER

Point Du Chene, New Brunswick, July 29. THE Queen talked with widows and heroes of the June shipping disaster today before sailing through the Northumberland Strait where it claimed 35 lives.

The Queen and Prince Philip spent 20 minutes at a fishing wharf where widows and surviving children of 10 of the victims were lined up. Near them were heroes of the disaster—other fishermen who saved some whose boats were capsized by an Atlantic gale, but were unable to save others.

Only 10 of the bodies have been recovered in the weeks since the big storm that plunged Canada into mourning just as the Queen and Prince Philip were starting their 10-day tour which ends Saturday. These men's widows were here today with their children. Most still were in black mourning.

In Navy

Some, like Mrs Yvonne Chalmers, who brought 12 of her 13 now fatherless children and explained to the Queen that, the fourth, aged 16, was away serving in the navy, tried to smile as the Royal visitors stopped briefly to chat.

But they were pathetic efforts. The sight of so many others like themselves put them off, and the occasional cry by youngsters who had been waiting at the wharf for two hours made it even tougher.

The Queen and Prince Philip steered clear of asking the widows about the disaster, which they were told about at the time and over which the Queen sent her formal condolences. But they showed deep interest and asked several questions of fishermen who worked as rescuers and have been acclaimed as heroes.

Keen Interest

One in that category was 52-year-old Captain Bernard Eakins of Esquimaux, N.B. He told Prince Philip, who often shows a sailor's keen interest in triumphs and tragedies at sea, that he saved three of four crewmen of another boat, and was unable to reach the fourth.

The Queen and Prince Philip, who were in Moncton, New Brunswick, after a day in which they travelled through the Maritimes by Comet jet transport, and by car. They started out this morning from Fredericton, New Brunswick, where they stayed overnight in an hotel.

At Point du Chene, they boarded their barge and headed into deep water to go aboard the Royal yacht Britannia en route to Charlottetown.—UPI.

'Volunteers' To Build Playground

Singapore, July 29. The Government announced tonight that "volunteer" civil servants totalling "a minimum of 5,000" and including women would on Sunday take part in the building of a public park and children's playground.

The Government tonight detailed the work which the "volunteers" who they said, would include ministers and members of the legislature would carry out.—Reuter.

'Dead' Brothers Meet Again

Cobles, Channel Islands, July 29. James Brown, 55, and his brother Ernest, 48, who both fought in the war, had been killed in the World War II, met across a hotel bar here today. Their meeting took place at the Highlands Hotel, managed by James. Ernest arrived at the hotel with his wife for a holiday this morning. James, serving at the bar, told him he looked like a brother he had not seen since 1942. Ernest said he had the same feeling and the two men quickly discovered their relationship. Celebrations in which all the hotel guests joined began tonight—and will continue until Ernest goes home to Stockton, Rugby, England.—Reuter.

No Secret Anglo-US Agreement

London, July 29. British Defence Minister, Mr Duncan Sandys, today denied the existence of a secret Anglo-American agreement requiring Britain to maintain during the next five years bases for American-built Thor missiles on British territory.

The existence of such a secret agreement had been reported today by a London newspaper.

Mr Sandys, replying to a question by Labour Party former minister, George Brown, said there was no agreement of this nature, except that of February 1958, which concerned the installation in Britain of Thor rockets for the operation and firing of which British personnel was responsible.—AFP.

How Bardot Happened

by JOAN HARRISON

At 25 Brigitte Bardot is all manner of things to so many people, but to most she is a tousle-haired, wary-eyed symbol of sex with a permanent pout. Behind the carefully created Legend with the Sinuous Shape there has been a background never fully examined... until now. For here, disclosed for the first time, is the story that could only be told by her mother. And, with these intimate pictures of earlier years, it forms a photo-biography of How Bardot Happened.

1—Formative Years

BRIGITTE BARDOT was born 25 years ago on the fifth floor of a tall grey apartment house in Passy, a district of Paris.

The upper-middle class people there have the strictest conventions, a certain way of speaking, a restrained, elegant way of dressing and living.

And if Brigitte had not been born in that atmosphere, she would not have appeared in the way she did in that odd, sophisticated and brilliant man, film director Vadim Pieninikoff, known as Vadim.

Says Brigitte's mother, "My daughter, with her typical religious and bourgeois upbringing, excited Vadim. 'That's the amusing thing, to take a girl like her and make it appear as if she has gone completely off the rails.'"

Brigitte was 15 years old on the blustering March day in 1949 when her career was really decided.

She had just come back home from attending morning school at Hattener's, one of the best in Paris. When the telephone rang Mme. Bardot answered. On the other end of the line was Mme. de la Villuchet, her husband's cousin. Mme. de la Villuchet edits the Junior Miss section of a French magazine.

THE TYPE

She told Mme. Bardot: "I'm in a real fix. I do hope you can help me out. The young girl who was to pose for me this afternoon has got scarlet fever. May I borrow Brigitte? She is pretty and just the type I want for the picture."

Madame Bardot thought there was no harm in it. So she and Brigitte went along to the offices of the magazine. "It was all over in five minutes," said Madame Bardot, her little school friends with

"I didn't think anything of it at the time." Weeks later Madame Bardot had another telephone call — from another woman's magazine.

The voice at the other end was demanding, but tactful. "We know your daughter is not a professional model and doesn't pose for cover pictures. But, just this once, wouldn't you allow her to? She is exactly the type of young girl we want for next week's cover. Don't worry, there won't be any publicity, we'll just use her initials, Mlle. B.B." Said Brigitte's mother: "I let myself be persuaded. Perhaps I did the wrong thing. But Brigitte was jumping up and down with excitement. The whole thing was a great game to her."

"Brigitte was never a professional cover girl. Like any girl of 15 she was thrilled to see her picture on the front cover of a magazine. She used to walk by the kiosk at the corner of the street to see it, dragging her little school friends with

her. 'Look, I can remember her saying, 'see that, it's me. That's me on the cover.'"

Next, an express letter arrived at the Bardot apartment, addressed to Brigitte.

THEN FILMS

It said: "Would you like to go on the films? If you would, and it would interest you to make a test, telephone me. My name is Marc Allegret."

Brigitte ran with the letter to her mother. "Oh mother," she said "Let's answer it right away."

They went to the home of Marc Allegret, an apartment house just off the Champs-Elysees. "I decided," said Madame Bardot, "to play the heavy mother because I didn't really want her to get into the films at all. I wanted her to keep on with her dancing."

"And," said Madame Bardot, "it went off just like that."



her growing up to become this?

IN the years between... when gawkiness gives way to womanhood... Bardot never let slip the petulant expression that marks her out today. The fair hair, still free, the pout, still firm, the eyes still upwards, questioning. But the middle-class child with the ballet school background — aged 15, in holiday mood on the left — soon shed the conventions. Engaged at 16, married at 18... and those lips, well, it was later said that when she kissed she made a love scene really a work of art.



BARDOT combs her unruly hair that has become a trademark. She said once: "Sex appeal is no tape measure. It's the way a mind controls the body."



BARDOT with the hint of the catlike grace that earned her a place in a San Francisco students' list of the 10 Best Undressed Women in the World.

TOURING THE WORLD—ON HK\$48 EACH

LONDON. TWO young Canadian cousins are touring the world on a three-year holiday — with only HK\$96 between them.

They are Phil Stooshnov (21) and David Chernenkoff (23) from Calgary, Alberta; and when they reached Inverness, Scotland, they both agreed: "This is the most wonderful place we have been in so far."

Then they told of how they had started their holiday on April 18 with only HK\$48 each. Said Phil: "We hitch-hiked

our way three thousand miles across Canada before boarding a boat at Montreal to sail to Liverpool, England. On our

By a Special Correspondent

arrival there, we travelled up to Edinburgh, Scotland, and then Inverness.

"To get money," he said, "we worked at various places, doing anything from washing dishes to making ice-cream cones, and saving money from our wages."

"We brought a tent with us," said David, "and we camped out, cooking our own food. On one occasion while still crossing Canada we slept in our little tent while a blizzard howled around us."

In Edinburgh they bought a car for £10 out of their wages and, said David: "We'll just con-

tinue to use it until it falls apart, and then we'll discard it."

"This is the only kind of holiday for us," said David. "It's great to feel free and independent, meeting a new challenge every day and just taking things as they come."

David and Phil intend going to Aberdeen next, and will also visit Balmoral, where the Queen's Highland home is situated.

"Then," they said, "we will take in some of the country around the North of Scotland."

What we have seen of the Highlands so far is really breathtaking. It beats easily the scenery we have at home."

They are collecting photographs and newspaper cuttings of their journey and will make a scrapbook of them when they get home.

"We will go to Spain, France, Germany, Russia and any other countries we can get into—and out of," they said.

Phil added: "We hope to be in South Africa by Christmas."

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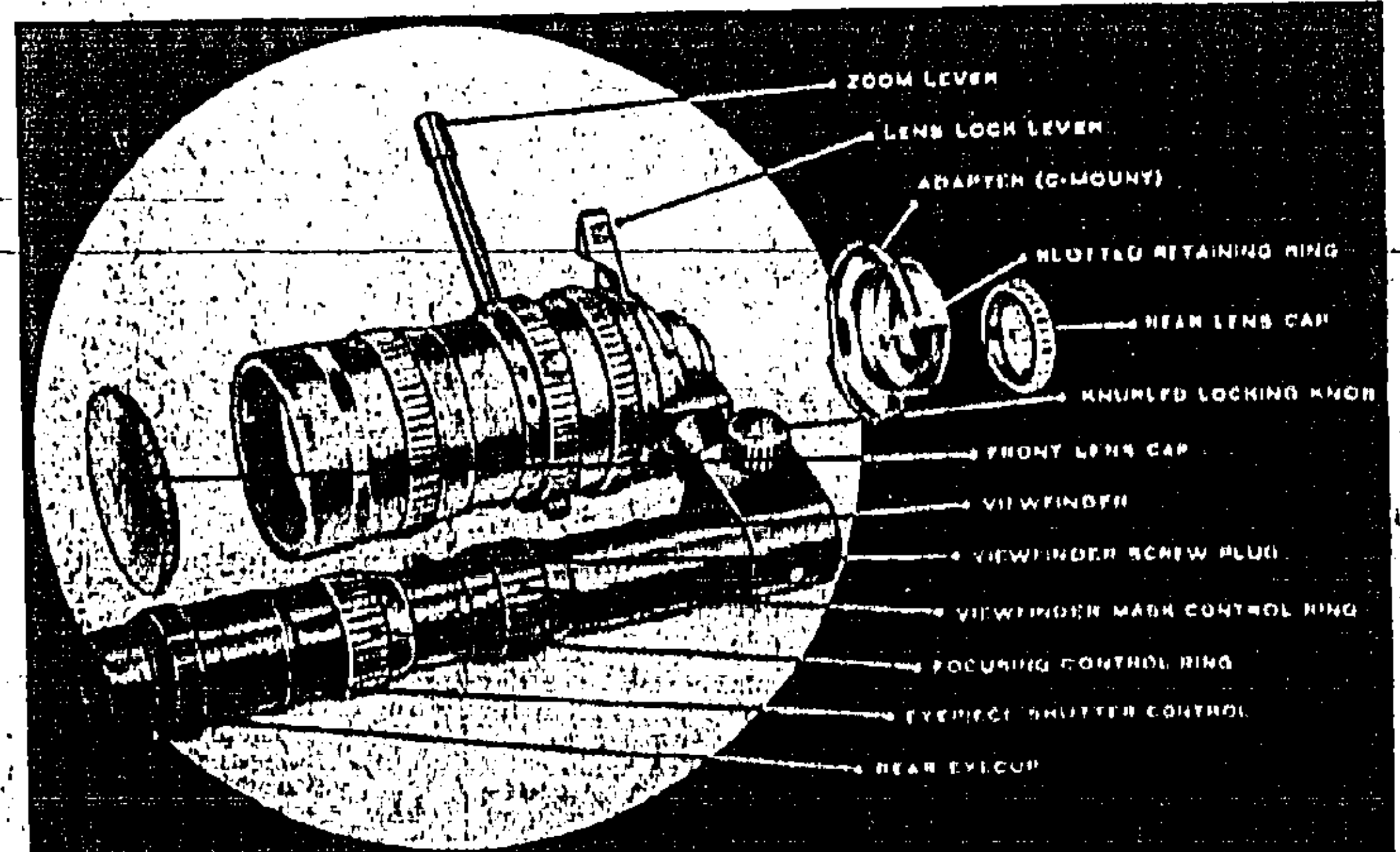
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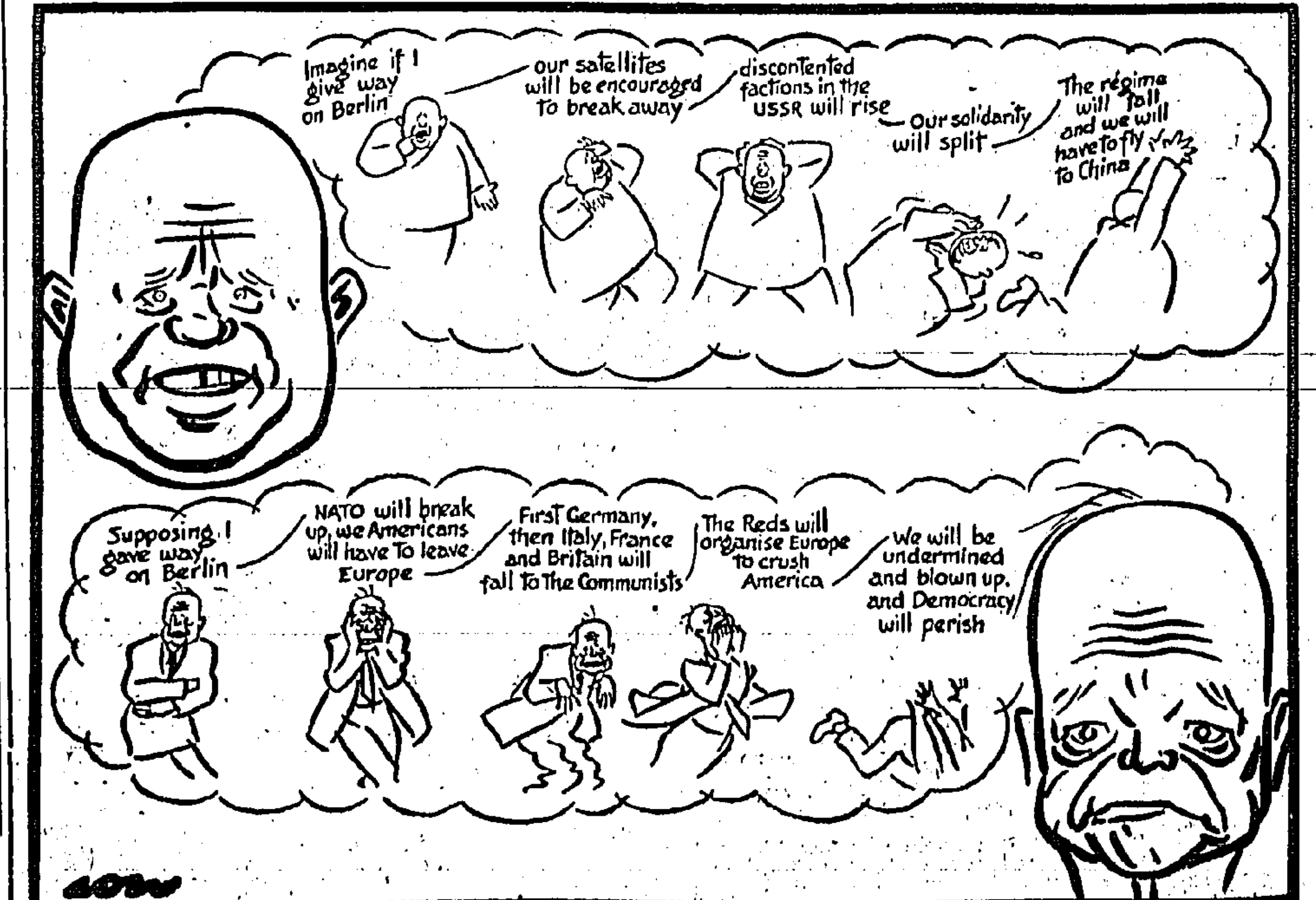
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YOUR BIRTHDAY...By STELLA

THURSDAY, JULY 30

BORN today you are something of a daydreamer, especially in youth. But there is a wild streak of common sense in your

make-up which causes you to look at life from a practical point of view and makes you realize that you can't live in a dream world all your life. The stars have given you exceptional talents and if you will make the best possible use of them, fame and success should not be long in arriving.

Since you have a good head for business, it is not likely that anyone will get very far ahead of you in any financial deal. You have very keen intuitions, sometimes almost psychic in their intensity. Consequently, if you learn to follow your "hunches" you will find that you are usually a few steps ahead of your nearest competitor. Always on the move, you will have to curb a tendency toward restlessness. Learn that you have to settle down and put down roots if you are to advance in life.

ON my last visit to New York I dropped in at the Hegeney Club and had the pleasure of seeing one of the best defensive players I have run across in some time.

West opened the three of hearts against the spade slam and after thinking the whole thing out South played the queen from dummy. He wanted the finesse to lose so he could win the next lead of any suit, pull crumps and discard all his losers on the rest of dummy's heart suit.

Mrs. Shuyesant Walnwright who sat East did some thinking

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4 NT	Pass	5 ♠	Pass
5 NT	Pass	6 ♠	Pass
6 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass
Opening lead—♥ 3			

Four Servicemen Among British Seeds For World Gliding Championships In Germany

By GEORGE HOGAN

Four of the final six pilots seeded by the British Gliding Association for the 1960 World Gliding Championships are Servicemen. The team chosen from these six will compete with other nations in Germany next summer.

One of the seeded servicemen is Lieutenant Colonel A.J. Deane-Drummond, MC, Commanding Officer of the 22nd Special Air Service Regiment who recently returned to Britain from Malaya.

He was British Gliding Champion in 1957 and was placed 10th this year. He holds the British National speed records round 100 and 200 kilometre triangles and the United Kingdom Out and Re-

turn record. He twice escaped from the Germans in 1941-42 and avoided capture in 1946 by hiding in a cupboard at Arnhem for 14 days. Commander H. C. M. Goodhart, a Regular officer of the Royal Navy, was winner of the Two-seater Class in 1956 World Championships and second in the Open Class in 1958. He came second in the British National Championships in 1957 and 1959 and holds a num-

ber of British records for altitude, distance and speed. Lieutenant Commander G.A.J. Goodhart, DSC, RN, at present with NATO Headquarters at Fontainebleau, holds the British National Record for Speed round a 300 kilometre triangle. He was placed seventh in the Standard Class at the World Championships in 1958 and 15th at this year's British Nationals.

Sergeant J. S. Williamson, Royal Air Force, radar instructor at RAF Station Cherhill, holds the United Kingdom single seater Height, Gain, and Absolute Altitude records. He also holds jointly several two-seater records for speed and goal-flight. He was ninth in this year's British Nationals and was second reserve pilot for the 1955 British Team.

Two Civilians

The two civilians among the final six seeded flyers are Mr. D. H. G. Ince, DFC, who is a member of the Army Gliding Club and was third in the 1959 British National Championships. He was the 1958 National Aerobatic Contest and is actively concerned with the development and test flying of Olympia sailplanes.

Mr. G. H. Stephenson, an electronic engineer, is the reigning British Champion. He was also Champion in 1953 and has been in the British Team on several occasions. In 1959 he became the first pilot to soar across the English Channel in a glider.

Four of the six seeds are in their 40's. Mr. Ince is 38 and Sergeant Williamson 30. They all hold the coveted Gold C gliding badge for top proficiency and they also each hold two Diamond badges, except Commander J. Goodhart who is the first and only British pilot to be awarded three Diamonds. —Bancroft Service.

Girl Guides Swimming Champions



The 1st Hong Kong Girl Guide Company took top honours at the annual swimming gala of the Girl Guides' Association at the Ladies' Recreation Club pool last week, emerging as the champion team of the meeting. Photo shows members of the team happily posing for a group photograph with the coveted Tingle Shield which went with the title.—China Mail photo.

Cooper Ordered To Defend Title Against Erskine

London, July 29.

Henry Cooper, British and Empire heavyweight champion, was ordered today by the Boxing Board of Control here to defend his British title against Joe Erskine, of Cardiff, before December 31.

Cooper's last fight was in January when he took the British Empire title from Brian London, of Blackpool. The Boxing Board also announced that Frankie Jones, Scottish holder of the British flyweight title, will defend his crown against Johnny Caldwell, of Ireland, in Belfast on October 3.—Reuters.

FAMOUS SPORTS STARS—I HAVE MET

By ARCHIE QUICK

The one athlete who has an outstanding chance of winning a gold, silver or bronze medal for Great Britain at the Olympic Games in Rome next year owes his sporting eminence to a Television programme.

In his Wembley home, giant Mike Ellis was watching Peter Allday demonstrate his hammer training for the 1952 Olympics at Helsinki on TV and, automatically, Mike found himself

copying Peter's turns and throws. He did it the same as teenagers tap their toes to dance music.

But Mike's big love was swimming, and he might not have found his niche as an international and record-breaking hammer thrower but for the arrival at Wembley Grammar School of Dennis Cullum.

Having founded the "Hammer Circle" club, enthusiast Cullum approached the school for facilities in the gymnasium—and was granted permission to use it on condition he coached the boys.

FIRST PUPIL

Naturally, as the biggest boy in the school, Ellis was the first pupil and he had unknowingly set his feet on the road to fame. He has gone a long way along it since then. Now he has the ability, the strength and the technique, but not always does he show burning enthusiasm. Often he has only just snatched victory with his last throw.

Yet look at his achievements. He became the best schoolboy in the land, and when he entered the senior ranks the change from the 12lb weights to the 16lb made no difference to this Colossus of a man, in fact, he welcomed it. National Service gave him added opportunities and greater competition, and by 1950 he was an international, at the age of 19. He just missed being selected for Melbourne Games.

190LB GRIP

At Loughborough College it was discovered he had a 100lb hand grip—enough to break the bones of most people's hands in a shake. Soon he became the first Briton ever to reach a 200 feet throw, and since he has often passed the 210 mark, better than 20 feet anything his rivals can achieve. He holds the British record at 213 ft 1 in, won the Empire title at Cardiff with his last throw, and then, in one of his lackadaisical spells, could not reach the last six in the European Championships at Stockholm last August.

Ellis is now a master at Hove (Sussex) Modern Secondary School, and he told me recently that he is keenly looking forward to the rivalry of the West Germans, Poles and Russians these next few weeks. He has already beaten 210 ft in Warsaw and Hanover. "I feel I must really get down to it, and start preparing now for the Rome Games," he said. "It would be a fine advertisement for this country's youth and strength if I could win."

Signed Again

Swansea Town manager Trevor Morris has just signed Brayley Reynolds for the second time. He first got the inside forward when he was managing Cardiff City. That was two years ago when Morris was with Lovells Athletic.—Bancroft Service.

THE MOTHER & THE WIDOW OF TWO RACING DRIVERS ARE IN THE NEWS

MIKE'S GARAGE IS SOLD FOR £45,000

Louise Settles Down In Chelsea

By PAUL TANFIELD

London.

Last week, almost a year since the death of racing driver Peter Collins and sixth months after Mike Hawthorn was killed on the Guildford bypass, I had news of both their families.

Peter's widow, Louise, has bought a house in Chelsea. Mike's mother is selling the garage he left her, the Tourist Trophy at Farnham, Surrey, to the 26-year-old son of a North Country garage proprietor for around £45,000.

When Dr Andrew Cordier, Louise Collins's father arrived in England the other day he took one look at the little new home his daughter was decorating—and gave her some advice.

Psychology

"I told her not to put the finishing touches too soon," Dr Cordier, Deputy Secretary-General of U.N. told me in the Chelsea house last night. "It's all a question of psychology. When you've put your heart and soul into something, and it is suddenly finished, it leaves an enormous gap."

"So Louise has agreed to leave some odds and ends—like buying a picture, mirror, or vase. It will give her something to think about."

I could see what the wise diplomat meant—with the first anniversary of Peter's death getting near.

Louise told me: "This house has given me plenty to think about. It's the first real home of my own. I chose all the furnishings, and my mother, who has been



Mike Hawthorn's garage on the day of his death.

with me for two months, made the curtains. "I start work any day now on a film for television. After that my main ambition is to be working full-time."

Caravanning

John Adams, married with three children, is the man buying Mike's garage.

He told me: "We've been looking for a place like this for a long time, and we shall be moving from Cambridge as soon as we can find a house. 'Meanwhile, I have a caravan. But I don't want to spend more than a couple of months in it.'"

Sugar Ray To Make Fight Decision Monday

New York, July 29.

Sugar Ray Robinson, whose year-long lay-off from the ring led to the National Boxing Association dismissing him of his world middleweight title, will make known on Monday whether he is ready to return to the ring.

Promoter Sam Silverman announced this here, today, after two days of negotiations with Robinson and manager George Gainsford, over a proposed fight for the champion against Paul Pender.

\$150,000 GUARANTEE—Silverman plans to put on the fight over 15 rounds at Boston on September 29 and has offered Robinson a guarantee of \$150,000 and a percentage of the television receipts.

Pender, an ex-freeman from Brookline, Massachusetts, has just made a spectacular comeback with a string of eight wins including a recent 10 rounds points decision over world ranking Tiger Jones.—AFP.

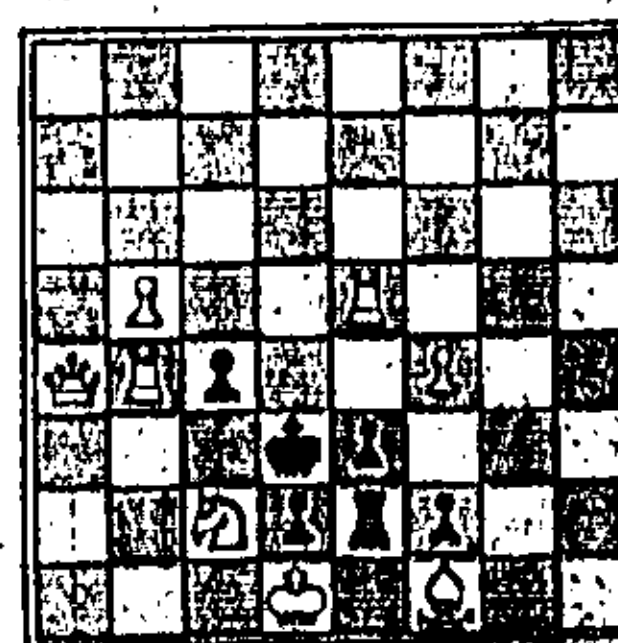
Cricket Mix-Up

Littleborough CC are pleased that the Central League Committee have agreed that they should keep four disputed points for their one run victory over Stockport.

Stockport claimed that one of Littleborough's boundaries was a four and not six, and that they, not Littleborough, won by one run. Littleborough replied that even if that six was not a six they hit a six later which was counted only as four, and, anyway, after they had won they threw away their last wicket to complete the match! —Bancroft Service.

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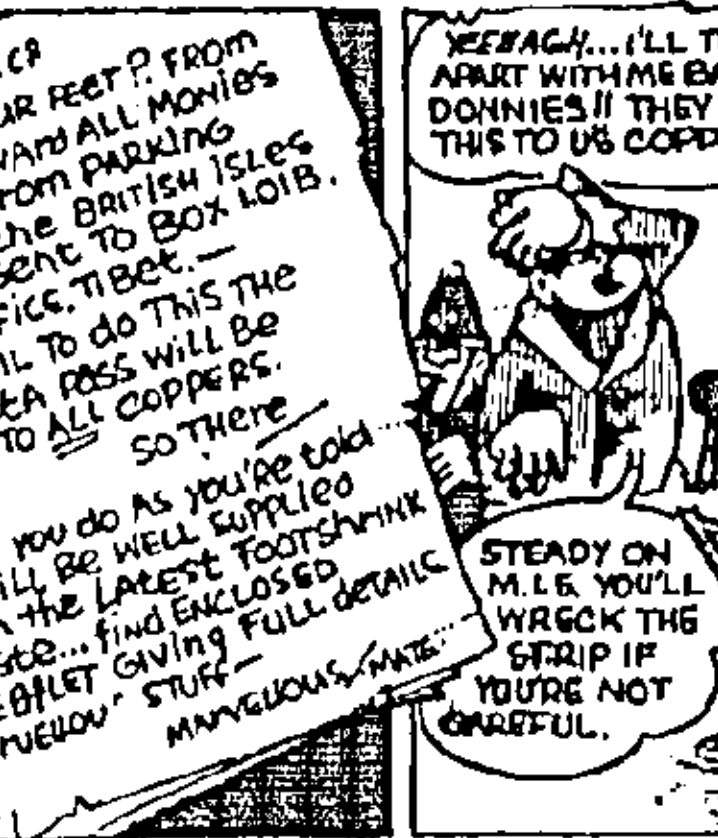
by LEONARD BARDEN



Here is a problem by S. Wright, Wood (Shipley). White to play and force Black to give mate in two. In other words, White wants to commit suicide, and Black can't stop him.

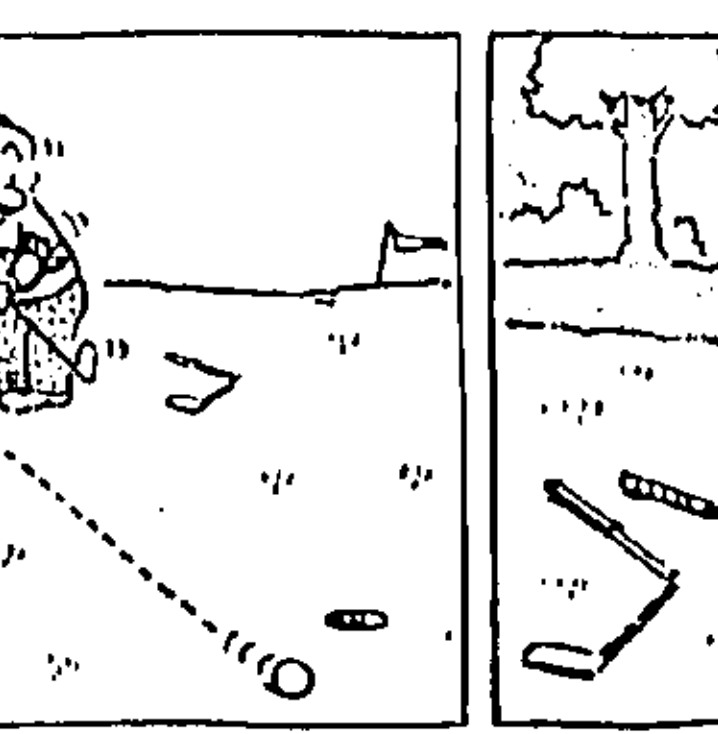
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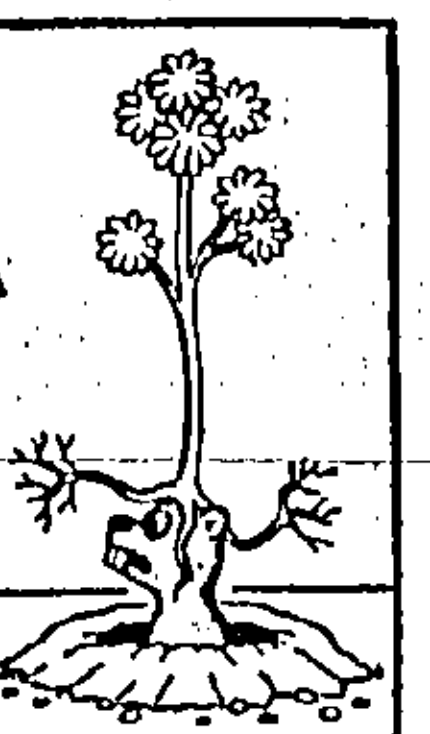
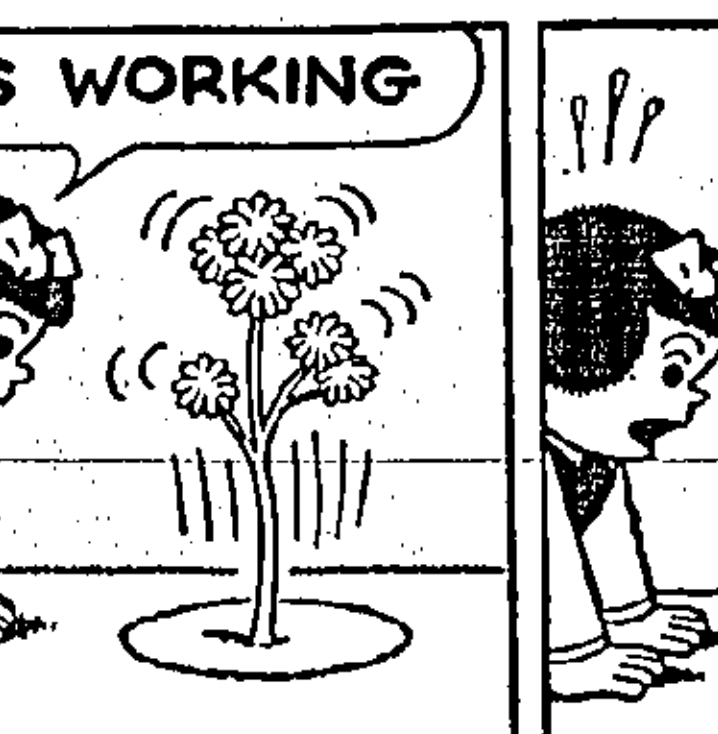
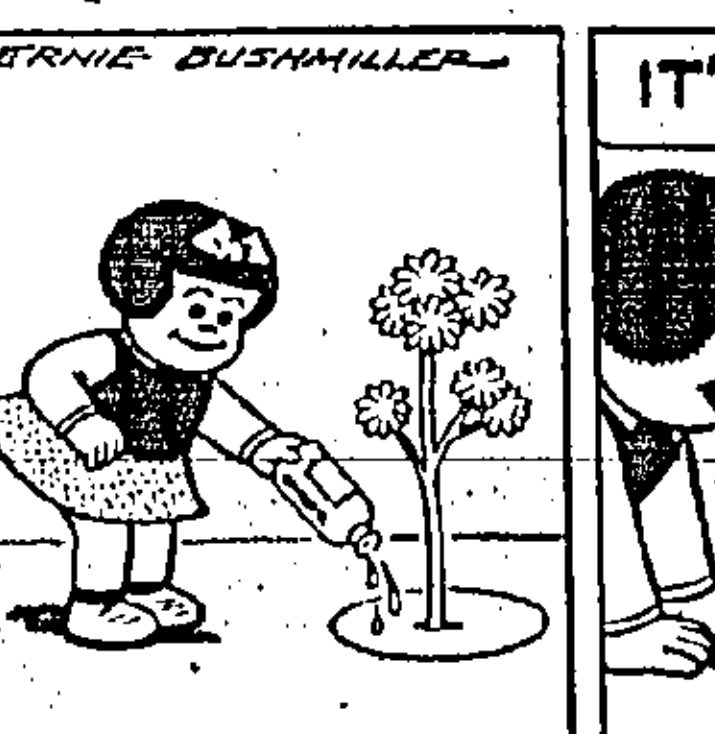
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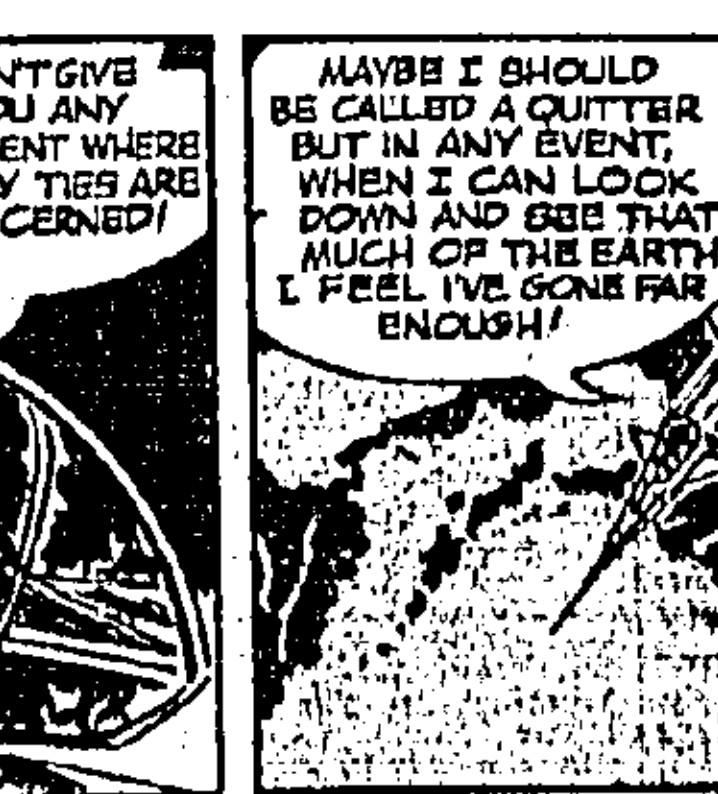
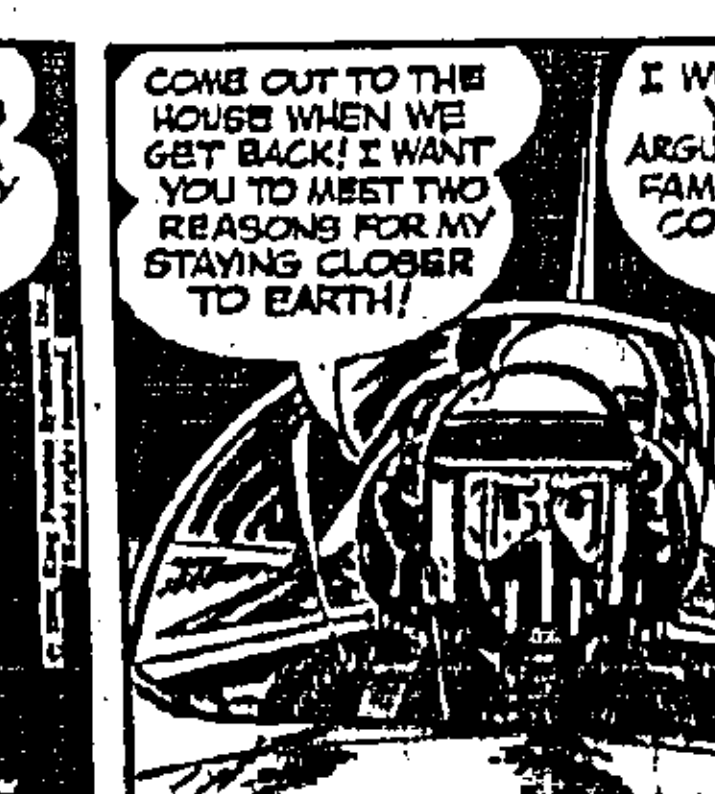
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LONDON GENERALLY HIGHER

London, July 29. Stocks were generally higher today as the list showed many gains in several sections.

Industrials were selectively better as engineering and steel shares improved together with electrical shares. Oils scored several gains and rubbers were firm.

Interest centred on store shares following the increased bid by Debenhams for Harrod's. Textiles were firm, especially cottons.

Foreign bonds were quiet with Greek bonds recovering earlier losses.

Gold shares were buoyant on buying from Johannesburg. Diamonds showed gains but base metals were subdued.—UPI.

Closing Prices

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Gloomy Picture Painted By Currency Expert

New York, July 29. Currency expert, Franz Pick, today painted a gloomy picture of the Philippine economy.

Drop In U.S. Gold Reserves

New York, July 29. Recent drops in the U.S. gold reserves do not mean the dollar has become a weak currency, an American economist asserted.

Mr. John Hargman, counselled against any charge in the current price of gold as an "unnecessary and inadvisable" measure. Factual evidence and reasoning supported the conclusion that the United States could maintain its competitive position in world trade and also indicated that the flow of gold from U.S. reserves need not constitute a long-term danger, he said.

He expressed these views in an appraisal of the current U.S. business situation he prepared for the Tri-Continental Corporation, the nation's largest diversified closed-end investment company, and the Broad Street group of mutual funds.

Mr. Hargman said the heavy outflow of gold did not mean the dollar had become a weak currency. The total U.S. gold stock had been in a moderate outflow from the high figures of over \$24,000 million in 1948-49; also there had been an increase in the dollar holdings of foreign banks and official institutions.

Improvement. These movements were the result of the marked improvement in economic conditions in other parts of the world, notably in Western Europe, and in continued deficits in the aggregate position of the United States balance of payments.

He explained that in creating these deficits, private foreign investment and U.S. Government expenditure had been the main factors aggravated in 1958-59 export-import shifts. "In other words, the U.S. has provided other countries with claims against itself, which claims these countries have elected to satisfy in substantial measure by holding gold and building up dollar holdings," he said.—China Mail Special.

CHICAGO GRAIN

Chicago, July 29. Rye and soybeans were strong today, but other grains held near the previous close on the Chicago Board of Trade. Wheat prices were about steady after assuming early firm tones on scattered buying. Hedges dropped off at midday. Further support came from reports of hot, dry weather in the northwest. Soybeans fell off after early strong gains, but rallied again at the midwest led to selling by commission houses, and local traders lent some support to the market. CCC sales of take-over beans yesterday were 152,000 bushels, bringing the total to 21,342,000 bushels. The export business was quiet, but export business was reported to have purchased 800,000 bushels of spring wheat.—UPI.

JAPANESE YEN MAKES RECOVERY

New York, July 29. Currency expert Franz Pick said today that the Japanese yen, while still subject to black market dealings, has strengthened remarkably in the last several years.

"Japan's monetary management, after a long struggle with major inflationary pressure and with a permanent external payments deficit, has performed an outstanding job of economic recovery," he said in the current issue of "Pick's Currency Yearbook."

The trade deficit was cut from \$13,200,000,000 yen in 1957 to \$6,100,000,000 yen in 1958 (about \$150,000,000), Pick reported. However, the deficit was largely compensated for by other

receipts which boosted the overall balance of payments to a surplus position of \$400,000,000.

Pick said that the yen reached its strongest position in eight years during November, 1958, when it sold on free markets at the rate of 365 to \$1, compared to the official rate of 360 to \$1 in March, 1949.

But by March this year, the yen had slipped to 365 to \$1, he said.—UPI.

HONGKONG STOCK EXCHANGE

Business done on the Hong Kong Stock Exchange this morning amounted to approximately \$780,000. Noon quotations and the morning's transactions:

Shares	Buyers	Sellers	Sales
BANKS			
HSBC	850	74	850
East Asia	330		
INSURANCES			
Union	82	83	83
Lombard	37		
SHIPPING			
Waterfront	23,800		
Wharfedale	814	630	
DOCKS, ETC.			
K. Wah	100	100	100
Doek	2014		
Provident	12,600	100	12,700
Tai Koo	32	33	
LAND, ETC.			
HK Hotel	20,100	200	20,300
HSK Land	301	301	301
Humphreys	10,400	10,400	
Ready	1,500	1,625	
RUBBER			
Union	2,500	2,500	2,500
Trust	3,000	3,000	3,000
A. T. Wah	310		
UTILITIES			
Electric	28,400	28,400	
Gas	101		
Yamaichi	110	112	220
C. Light	10,100	10,100	
Telephone	20	20	20
Macao E.	900		
INDUSTRIALS			
Textile	34	34	34
Stores, ETC.			
Doyle	17,100	17,200	17,150
Watson	17,200		
L. Crow	20,900		
COTTONS			
Yong	5,500	5,500	5,500
Nanyang	10,400	10,700	10,550
MISCELLANEOUS			
Vibro	13,100	13,300	13,200
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Today's volume was 3,400,000 shares. Of a total 1,210 issues traded, 521 were higher and 492 lower. American Exchange volume was 1,440,000 shares.

Bonds volume amounted to \$6,230,000.

Dow-Jones closing averages were:

30 Industrials	672.10
20 Railroads	108.49
12 Utilities	62.71
40 Stocks	62.71
Comm. Future Price Index	105.53

Closing Prices

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Exchange Rates

Business was done in the local	
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morning at the following rates:	
U.S. dollar (per \$1)	3.74
Sterling notes (per £1)	15.90
Australian notes (per £1)	12.25
New York Central	10.00
Siam (per 100)	2.60
Thailand (Straits)	1.80

Yesterday's Closing

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NEW YORK
Closing prices, all in cents per lb.

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ABOVE: Messrs. Frank Y. K. Poon and Robert C. S. Kwok recently gave a farewell banquet to Major Frank Miles, Chief Secretary, Queen Mary Hospital, and Mrs. Miles. Seen are (l-r) Messrs. J. K. Leid, Kwok and Miles.



LEFT: Mr. D. J. S. Crozier, Director of Education, presents a certificate to Miss Lam Ming-chi at the Tung Wah schools graduation ceremony held at the King's Theatre this week.



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LEFT: Many people attended Tuesday's cock-tail party marking the opening of their newly-decorated offices. Mr. Walter Nollath (right) received the guests.
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ABOVE: Thirteen-year-old Michael, son of Commodore and Mrs. G. D. Gregory, poses with his parents. He was one of several groups of schoolchildren from the U.K. who were flown to Hongkong by Boac to spend their holidays with their families.



BELOW: Mr. D. J. McEachran, the new assistant Canadian Trade Commissioner, and his wife (left), is greeted on his arrival in the Colony by Mr. C. M. Forsyth-Smith, Canadian Trade Commissioner.



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RIGHT: The Emperor of Ethiopia at the Brussels Royal Palace during his visit to Belgium with King Baudouin.

Boys Leave On Holiday Camp



A happy group of campers leaves Kowloon Pier, this morning.—China Mail Photo.

Forty-five boys left Kowloon by launch this morning for the Fifth International Boys' Camp at Junk Bay.

The camp will last a week and while there the boys will have a full programme of handicrafts, games and swimming.

Last year the boys lived in tents but this year they will live in a newly erected one-storey building. The boys are taking along their own blankets and eating utensils.

Accompanying the boys to the Camp this morning were Messrs. D. G. Taylor (Asst. Gen. Secretary, EYMCA), One-way Woo (Ext. Secretary, EYMCA), Rev. G. Kransov (Chaplain to US Services), J. Atkinson (HK Christian Council) and Hsu Ping-kwan.

ACCUSED'S ALLEGED STATEMENT ON "THE ONLY ENEMY IN MY LIFE"

A factory worker charged with the murder of a woman was alleged to have said she was "the only enemy in my life, and that is why I killed her," the Supreme Court was told today.

The worker, Chau Shui-wan, 25, is accused of stabbing Yin Mei-chu to death on April 22 at Lee Tai Textile Factory.

Detective police constable Lee Chuen told the court he had seen Chau on April 22 at the textile factory.

Two Knives

Chau had admitted killing the woman with two knives. Later at the police station he had written a statement again admitting he killed the woman, Lee said.

After the prosecution closed its case, the accused gave evidence about his relations with the deceased. He said he married her in Swatow, in March 1957, and their marriage was formally recognised by the People's Government in May.

He said he and his wife came to Hongkong and at first lived together in Kowloon City, but on May 23, 1958, when he returned home from work, he found his wife had left him.

The accused said that he sought employment at the Lee Tai Textile Factory, on April 18, this year, being introduced by a Swatow worker there. He was told to start work on April 21.

He said that on April 18, while in the reception room of the factory, he suddenly noticed

the photograph of his wife among those of all the factory workers.

On April 20, when he went to the factory to complete formalities, he met his wife and asked her to return his ring which was a family heirloom.

The accused told the jury, "I decided not to take up this job because I found my wife was working there and because I had heard many rumours about her, so I purposely reported for work late on April 21."

Not Sacked

However he was not dismissed and he spent the night sleeping in the factory. The next morning he started work early. He felt thirsty and wandered into the "blowing room" to get some tea from a urn. On his way back to work after his drink he suddenly came upon his wife working there.

He said he was so surprised to find her that he called to her and asked whether she had brought his ring back. His wife became very angry and eventually said that he could get it back from a man called Chau Kwong-ling, so he went back to his work.

The hearing is unfinished. Chau is being tried before Mr. Justice A. D. Scholles and a jury of four women and three men.

Mr. G. H. Smith, Crown Counsel, is prosecuting. He is assisted by Mr. G. W. Williams, Crown Counsel, and Mr. E. H. Moss, acting Superintendent of Police.

Mr. T. Shirook, instructed by Mr. Q. Chung, of F. Zimmerman and Co., is defending.

From the Files

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A SENSATIONAL development in the Gunpowder Depot frauds of last year was made public for the first time yesterday when, during the Finance Committee meeting at the Legislative Council, the Colonial Secretary, the Hon. Sir Thomas Southern, read an extract from a letter from Angel Julian, confessing to the thefts.

The Colonial Secretary further stated that Julian had given the names of the receivers of the stolen property but Government had not been able to bring a case against them, owing to lack of evidence.

Gunpowder, imported by various big Hongkong firms, was stored in the Depot. Following the discovery of Julian's disappearance, it was also found that more than \$30,000 worth of explosives had been taken.

The Colonial Secretary read part of a letter said to have been written by Julian which said: "I was terrified out of life and have walked away and will commit suicide elsewhere. Some day you will read it in the papers."

★ ★ ★
One of the Colony's best-known and most popular residents, Mr. C. L. Sandes, is to leave Hongkong for good by the Empress of Japan today accompanied by his wife. He is leaving the East owing to the fact that he has not enjoyed good health. Formerly Manager of the Hongkong Office of the Mercantile Bank of India, he later joined the firm of Layton and Co., exchange and bullion brokers.

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An atmosphere of acutest tension prevails in Europe following the murder of Chancellor Dollfuss of Austria by Nazis.

Italian troops are on the march to the Austrian frontier following the promise of Premier Mussolini to protect with all the means at his command the independence of the republic.

This paragraph appeared under a big banner headline of six columns saying "ITALIAN TROOPS ON THE MARCH Mussolini promises to protect Austria."

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Mr. G. A. Fahnestock, the American millionaire owner of the palatial yacht Shenandoah III who has made his residence in Hongkong for the last 16 months, left for America by the Empress of Japan yesterday accompanied by his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Fahnestock are en route to New York to join their son whom they will take to Europe for the summer vacation. The yacht which lies in Kowloon Bay, will remain in Hongkong.

DEGREE FOR HK GIRL



Miss Susan Ting, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Y. C. Ting of 147 Island Road, Stanley, will graduate with the degree of Bachelor of Science in Business Administration at the 30th Commencement of Bryant College of Business Administration tomorrow.

The Bryant College is in Providence, Rhode Island, U.S.A.

Cheque For Refugee School

Mrs. R. T. Eng, President of the Hongkong Council of Women and Mrs. R. R. Kapahi, Chairman of the Fund-raising Committee, yesterday presented a cheque for \$2,000 to Mrs. Elsie Elliott for the Mu Kuang School for refugee children.

In addition to the money, the ladies promised to supply vacation blinds for the new premises in Kowloon City.

The President told Mrs. Elliott that the Council planned to put on a gala premiere before Christmas in order to raise further funds for the school.

Court Sequel To Girl's Death In Car Accident

A serious traffic accident, which occurred on June 22, on the Castle Peak Road and in which a teen-age Chinese girl was fatally injured, was recounted at the Kowloon District Court this morning before Judge H. H. B. How.

As a result of the accident, a 19-year-old Chinese youth, Paul Lau, the driver of the car in which the girl died, was accused of dangerous driving causing death when he appeared before the Judge this morning.

Mr. A. Zimmerman, instructed by the Attorney General, is appearing for the Crown. Mr. E. A. L. Wright, and Patrick Yu, instructed by Ford, Kwan and Co., are representing the accused.

To Tsun Wan

The Crown's case is that, on the afternoon of June 22, four people—two women and two men, one of whom was the accused—were travelling in a car from Kowloon to Tsun Wan.

At a spot near the six-mile stone on the Castle Peak Road, the car which was driven by the accused, was involved in an accident.

As a result the girl, Judy Chan, was found fatally injured after being admitted to hospital. The hearing is continuing.

APOLOGY

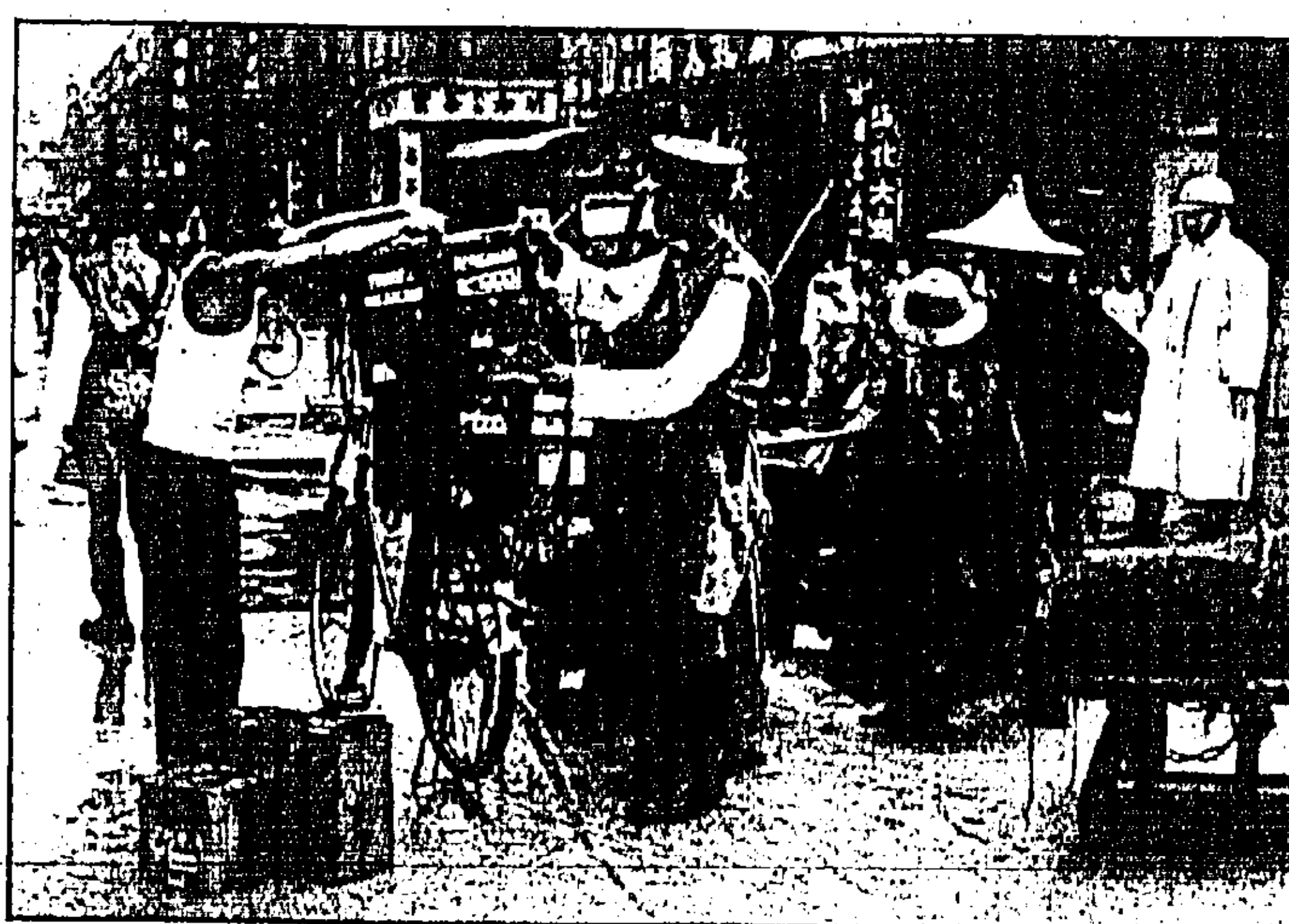
In the issue of the China Mail of July 22, 1959 the China Mail published on page 10 of the late final edition a letter to the Editor under the heading "Under Fire." In this letter the writer, referring to Mrs. Beatrice Church, stated:

"As a student of psychology, it is not hard for me to see at once that she is suffering from a folie de grandeur, as every human's behaviour is either motivated by envy, jealousy or folie de grandeur, therefore I have with charity qualified her superwoman's efforts as 'grand madness'."

The China Mail now recognises that the above statements are wholly unfounded and takes the earliest opportunity of correcting its error in publishing such letter, and of tendering to Mrs. Church its sincere apologies.

The China Mail trusts that she will accept the expression of the China Mail's regret for any pain or annoyance that she may have suffered.

Police Start Education Blitz



Above, a policeman gives instructions to an overloaded cyclist.

A "task force" of Hongkong Police traffic officers picked the roundabout at Kowloon City to begin a motorists' education week.

The campaign, which started last Tuesday, is being undertaken by 20 officers and men of the Traffic Branch, whose duty it is to teach safe driving habits.

An officer said this morning that every conceivable type of traffic offence could be found at this roundabout. It serves four major roads—

Prince Edward Road, Argyle Street, Clearwater Bay Road

to the rapidly developing Kowloon Industrial area, and Sung Wong Toi Road to branch off to Hungshing—and several side streets in Kowloon City itself.

The Inspector said that the campaign is not so much to prosecute, but rather to lead and advise motorists, cyclists, tandem drivers as well as pedestrians, "to do it the right way."

Normally traffic at this roundabout is very haphazard. But under the keen eyes of the Police this morning it was very smooth.

Despite this, traffic officers still found it necessary to remind offenders of their mistakes and urge them to exercise more care and courtesy.

The campaign will last a few more days. Then the "task force" will move to another hot spot, where they will start all over again.

A special group of traffic officers was formed a few months ago to teach Kowloon motorists better driving habits. Since its formation the officers and men have been busy educating the pedestrians on how to cross the road safely.

DRIVER FINED \$500

Youths Offer \$6 To Be Taken To Beach

A man who agreed to drive four youths to a beach for the price of a lunch was convicted and fined \$500 or two months' gaol by Mr. J. T. Morris at Central Magistrate's Court this morning.

Mr. Hon-man, 31, of 38 Main Street, Stanley Village, pleaded not guilty to charges of driving a private car for hire and driving without third party insurance.

Senior Superintendent Mr. A. Morrison said this morning that on July 12, at 11.45 a.m., he drove past defendant's car at Main Street, Stanley.

Mr. Morrison said the man was talking to four youths and as his car's windows were open, he heard someone mention "five dollars."

He said he drove past the car slowly, and saw the four youths get into the car and drive away.

Mr. Morrison said he then stopped the car and questioned the youths, who admitted later they were to pay defendant \$6 for taking them to Big Wave Bay.

The four youths Skip Heinecke, Fletcher, MacGregor, Jan Yoo and Peter Mitrovic testified that they knew defendant and that as he had not taken his lunch, they agreed to pay him \$6 to take them to the beach.

In his defence, defendant said he was also going to Shek O beach later in the day and therefore he took the four boys to the beach.

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